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SUBJECT: PROPOSED VISIT TO US OF NUCLEAR FUSION SUBCOMMITTEE

1. NUCLEAR FUSION COUNCIL OF JAPAN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, HEADED BY COMMISSIONER SUITA, COORDINATES ALL ACTIVITIES IN JAPAN ON NUCLEAR FUSION R&D. COUNCIL HAS ESTABLISHED SERIES OF FUNCTIONALLY ORIENTED SUB-GROUPS, OF WHICH ONE, SUBGROUP ON TRITIUM, HAS FORMULATED FIVE YEAR PLAN FOR RESEARCH ON AND PRODUCTION OF TRITIUM. CURRENT PLAN IS TO PRODUCE ONE GRAM PER YEAR BY 1982 AND 200 GRAMS PER YEAR BY 1987. THE PLAN HAS BEEN COMPLETED, BUT THE COMMISSION DESIRES TO SEND A STUDY TEAM TO THE U.S. TO CONDUCT AN EVALUATION OF ITS PLAN.

2. STUDY TEAM MEMBERS DESIRING TO MAKE VISIT ARE:

A. PROF. DR. HIDETAKE KAKIHANA, INSTITUTE OF NUCLEAR REACTOR TECHNOLOGY, TOKYO INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

B. PROF. DR. NOBUO MITSUISHI, DEPARTMENT OF NUCLEAR ENGINEERING, KYUSHU UNIVERSITY

C. DR. YOSHIKAZU HOSHIDA, DEPUTY HEAD, DIVISION OF HEALTH PHYSICS, TOKAI RESEARCH ESTABLISHMENT, JAPAN ATOMIC ENERGY RESEARCH INSTITUTE

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D. MR. KATSUHIRO TACHIKAWA, DEPUTY CHIEF, DIVISION OF RADIOISOTOPE PRODUCTION, RADIOISOTOPE CENTER, JAPAN ATOMIC ENERGY RESEARCH INSTITUTE

E. MR. YUJI NARUSE, SENIOR ENGINEER, DIVISION OF NUCLEAR FUEL RESEARCH, TOKAI RESEARCH ESTABLISHMENT, JAPAN ATOMIC ENERGY RESEARCH INSTITUTE

F. MR. HIROO SATO, NUCLEAR INSTRUMENTS ENGINEERING

DIVISION, ALOKA CO., LTD.

G. DR. JIN MITSUI, HIRATSUKA RESEARCH LABORATORY,
SUMITOMO HEAVY INDUSTRY, LTD.

3. TEAM DESIRES FOLLOWING ITINERARY IF CONVENIENT TO ERDA:

- A. SEPTEMBER 26 OR 27, LLL
- B. SEPTEMBER 29, 30, IDAHO
- C. OCTOBER 3, 4, LASL
- D. OCTOBER 6, 7, ORNL
- E. OCTOBER 10, 11, MOUND
- F. OCTOBER 12, 13, ERDA HQ WASHINGTON

4. ON ASSOCIATED TOPIC EMBASSY NOTES WITH PLEASURE KINTNER
ACCEPTANCE JAERI INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN NOVEMBER FUSION
SEMINAR IN TOKYO. AS SCHEDULE CRYSTALLIZES, IF KINTNER DESIRES
VISITS TO JAERI AND/OR UNIVERSITIES CONDUCTING FUSION R&D. ERDA
OFFICE PLEASED TO ASSIST.

5. IN REGARD TO POSSIBILITY US-JAPAN FUSION BILATERAL AND IN
RESPONSE TO KINTNER DIRECTION LAST FALL, ERDA REP MET EARLY
THIS YEAR WITH SEVERAL JAPANESE LEADERS IN FUSION FIELD, ALL OF
WHOM STRONGLY IN FAVOR OF BILATERAL. DURING DAVIDSON VISIT ON
TECHNICAL SIDE, IN FEBRUARY-MARCH, SUBJECT DISCUSSED AT SOME
LENGTH, BUT REGRETTABLY, FOLLOW-UP NOT AGGRESSIVELY PURSUED.
EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE CHANCE TO DISCUSS WITH KINTNER DURING
VISIT. LOOK FOWARD TO SEEING YOU.
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